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ENTERTAINMENT IS READY FOR LARGE CROWD TONIGHT IN BRYANT'S BIG PARK

Free Ice Cream for 3,000 People Is on Hand; Fine Speeches and Musical Pro- gram Prepared

INTEREST IS KEEN

Business Men Sign State- ment Favoring Accepting Park as Gift; City Is Anx- ious on Election Eve

The largest free entertainment ever held in Albany will take place in Bryant's Park this evening when the whole city is invited to hear talks on the park, to listen to a fine program and to eat ice-cream at the expense of a large number of Albany businessmen who want to see the park voted.

J. C. Irvine has prepared a fine program which will consist of music by the high school band and Heister's orchestra, selections by the male quartette composed of J. C. Irvine, R. U. Steelquist, Dr. Poling and Dr. W. H. Lee, selection by the Albany college chorus, solos by Mrs. Berenice Gilchrist and Dr. D. V. Poling, and other numbers.

Community Sing
Dr. W. H. Lee will be chairman of the evening. Speeches will be made by Hon. J. R. Wyatt and Prof. A. F. Peck, of O. A. C.

One of the features of the evening will be the community sing led by Dr. Poling, whose ability in this line is well known.

The meeting will begin at 8:30 o'clock. A large platform and stage has been built and following the exercises a free dance will be open to those who care for this diversion from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Merchants Favor Park

A statement was circulated today and signed by a large number of businessmen stating their desire to see the park taken over by the city. Among the signers were L. E. and H. J. Hamilton, Blain Clothing Co., Dawson's Drug Co., Sears Grocery, Fortmiller Furniture Co., M. Senders & Co., Albany Furniture Exchange, D. S. Holloway, Grant Pirtle, Murphy Motor Co., E. M. Reagan, G. A. Flood, Hulbert-Hallack Hardware Co., F. M. French & Sons, Worth's Department Store, M. Sternberg Co., E. D. Cusick, McDowell Shoe Co., L. L. Potts, Eastburn Bros., C. E. Williamson, R. A. Hudkins, I. Viereck, Woodworth Drug Co., Summerfield's Store, D. H. Preston, Hub Dye Works, F. E. Williams, Hofflich & Hornback, G. E. Sanders, W. M. Parker, E. B. Day, Albany Garage, Hauser Bros., Waldo Anderson & Son, A. C. Schmitt, C. E. Clifford, H. J. Jones, M. Ludwig, Baltimore Bicycle Shop, C. G. Rawlings, Albany Democrat, C. M. Brewer and M. B. Craft.

Carolyn Cannon Here—

Miss Carolyn Cannon returned to Eugene last evening after spending the weekend at the home of her Aunt, Miss Flora Mason.

NEW CLASSIFIED

THE ST. CHARLES has been reopened under new management. Good clean rooms at a reasonable price. Call and see us. 9114*

LOST—A big round brooch of Greek design between 626 W. 3d St. and S. P. depot. Phone 248. 9111

LOST—One 3-year-old Holstein cow, missing since June 6. S. Isom, Phone 4528. R. F. D. No. 1. 9111*

FOR GOOD SHOESHINE—Go to Jennings Cox, 3d and Lyon streets. 9115*

FOR SALE—House and large lot at 1006 W. 10th St. City water, electric lights, etc. Price \$800 on terms. Beam Land Co., 133 Lyon Street. 9110

36 PER CENT OF VOTE IS POLLED

Cascadia Votes Cost \$2 Each for 22 Which Are Cast

There was a larger vote cast on the recent bond issue than was anticipated. Out of a total registration of 11,850, there were 4,364 votes cast. Some voted who had to be sworn in, but the vote was more than 36 per cent of the registration.

Cascadia cast the smallest vote, with 22 ballots counted. This precinct gave 21 votes for the county bonds and none against. One person failed to vote on this issue. The vote in the precinct cost more than \$2 per ballot.

Rock Creek precinct was next with 29 votes at an average of a little less than \$2 each.

BURNQUIST WOULD RATIFY SUFFRAGE

ST. PAUL, June 9.—U. P.—Gov. Burnquist today sent telegrams to all governors asking them if they would call special legislative sessions this year to ratify the federal suffrage amendment.

PRICE-HACKLEMAN PROPERTY OFFERED

Site for East End Park Avail- able; Price Is \$9,800

On the eve of the city park election a new proposition is sprung on the people whereby an opportunity is given the city to purchase Hackleman's Park. An offer was made today by Denver Hackleman and sister, Mrs. W. K. Price, to sell all of that part of Hackleman's Grove beginning from the corner of Ninth and Main streets extending on a line south to the S. P. railway track, thence east to Sherman street (where extension would pass), thence north to the south line of Ninth street and west to place of beginning on Main. This tract contains about six acres and a price of \$9,800 has been made by the owners.

This takes practically all of Hackleman's Grove lying north of the railroad track, except the sites of Mr. Hackleman's and Mrs. Price's homes, containing about one and one-half acres, it is said.

The city has tried on several occasions to get a price on this property, which would make a fine park site for the East End of the city. It is possible that the matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the city council, but it is argued that this should have nothing to do with the voting on Bryant's Park.

Bryant's Park is to be given to the city, and the city should have this property under any circumstances. It should also have a park in the East End of the city, and no doubt bill. In referring to the subject J. F. Emmet, a prominent East End resident, says: "Let us not confuse the issue of the Price proposition with that offered by Mr. Bryant. The Price property would make a beautiful park but it is entirely inadequate for the use which it is proposed to make of the Bryant property. Bryant's property is wanted primarily for a summer camp ground for our own people as well as the auto tourists now passing through in great numbers. It will be remembered that Bryant's property contains nearly 40 acres, or more than six times as much as the Price property."

"Let's take Bryant's offer while we have an opportunity of getting it and then go after the city council for Price's tract for an East End park. Unfortunately, we can't have both just now and at the same time, but let us not turn down the one because we can't in the same breath get the other."

Storms Gets Five Years

OKANOGAN, June 9.—U. P.—Storms was sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary for the seduction of Ruth Garrison, his wife's slayer.

WILSON APPROVES INVESTIGATION OF TREATY OF PEACE LEAK IN AMERICA

Cables Senator Hitchcock that Action Meets With His Approval; Feels Bound in Honor to Keep Faith

BORAH READS TEXT

Chicago Tribune Prints So- Called Complete Text of Treaty with Germany; Text Is Obtained in Paris

WASHINGTON, June 9.—U. P.—President Wilson cabled Senator Hitchcock today: "Am heartily glad you have demanded an investigation with regard to possession of the treaty text by unauthorized persons."

"Anyone who has possession of the official English text has what he is clearly not entitled to have or communicate. I have felt in honor bound to act in the same spirit and the same way as the representatives of either of the other great powers in the matter, and am confident my fellow countrymen will not expect me to break faith with them."

"I hope the investigation will be most thoroughly prosecuted."

Borah Reads Text

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Soon after the senate met today Sen. Borah put into the record a copy of the peace treaty which he said Frazier Hunt, a Chicago newspaperman, had handed him. The democrat demanded a roll-call on the question of putting the treaty on record. Forty-seven to 24 was the vote for publication.

Tribune Prints Story

CHICAGO, June 9.—The Tribune today published what it declared was the complete text of the German peace treaty together with photographic facsimiles of the first two pages, printed in French and English. The text was obtained in Paris by Frazier Hunt, a Tribune correspondent, according to the story.

WASHINGTON FOLK GREATLY PLEASED

Party of Cannery People and Financial Experts Visit Here Sunday

Greatly impressed with the wonderful possibilities of this section as a fruit country, W. H. Paulhamus and party, who arrived in the city yesterday morning, returned to Portland last evening. The party, consisting of Mr. Paulhamus and daughter; Mr. Coberly, secretary of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, and his wife; Supt. Vary, of the Puyallup and Sumner plants; Mr. Coon, purchasing agent, the Woodburn agent and one or two others, was taken over the city to inspect the various sites and were then carried about the country where they saw loganberry, raspberry and other vineyards and orchards. They were amazed at the wealth of this section.

Several sites were offered for a cannery and the party will meet in Portland today with W. B. Scott, local manager, and discuss upon a location. The cannery will be built at once and will be large building, capable of handling the large volume of business that is promised. It will be completed in time for the present crop.

More than \$21,000 worth of stock has been subscribed.

D. C. SWAN DIES AT AGE OF 82 YEARS

Well Known Crawfordville Man Was Active Up to Two Weeks Ago

David C. Swan, well known resident of Linn county, died Sunday morning at his home at Crawfordville. He was 82 years old.

Mr. Swan was unusually active for a man of his age and kept at work on his farm up to two weeks ago, when he was taken ill. The day before his last illness he did volunteer work on the road, and it is said that he did as much work as any man out that day. He followed farming all of his life and was a hard and vigorous worker.

Mr. Swan was born in Davis county, North Carolina, January 29, 1837. On his 24th birthday he was married.

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STRIKE SETTLEMENT UP TO BURLESON, LABOR DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES TODAY

Action by President Will Not Be Asked Until Labor and Postal Departments Exhaust Efforts

APPROPRIATION IS CUT

J. P. Morgan to Testify in Treaty Leak Investigation; Ban on Gold Exports Lfted by Reserve Board

WASHINGTON, June 9.—U. P.—Settlement of the threatened nationwide strike of telephone and telegraph workers rests with Postmaster-General Burleson and the department of labor, it is stated authoritatively here today.

Action by the President will not be resorted to unless these two agencies have definitely failed to secure any agreement between the workers and the companies.

Railroad Bill Reported

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The house appropriations committee reported the railroad appropriation bill today, carrying \$750,000. This is \$450,000 less than the sum that Hines had asked to be added to the railroad administration's revolving fund.

Morgan to Testify

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The senate foreign relations committee today subpoenaed J. P. Morgan, Frank A. Vanderlip and other big New York bankers as witnesses in the investigation of the treaty text leak.

Gold Ban Lifted

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The federal reserve board today lifted the ban on gold exports from the United States.

Troops Are Ample

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Sufficient regular army troops are stationed in Texas to meet any situation arising on the Mexican border, General Cabell, commanding the southern department, stated in a telegram today to the war department.

Arizona Law Upheld

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The supreme court in a decision today upheld the Arizona employers' act in several suits appealed from that state. Various big copper companies had attacked the law and sought to knock it out.

U. S. GRAIN CROP IS 91 PER CENT

A Per Cent Below 1918, But Winter Wheat Exceeds Last Year's Crop

WASHINGTON, June 9.—U. P.—The spring wheat crop condition on June 1 is estimated at 91.7 per cent by the agricultural department today, a decrease of four per cent from the condition on June 1 last year.

The total wheat crop will exceed last year's record breaker by 307,000,000. Winter wheat acreage is 133.3 per cent as compared with a normal yield.

Fine Is Paid

Eden Ames, who has been serving a month's imprisonment in the county jail following his conviction in the circuit court, will be released Tuesday Saturday his brother-in-law, H. Roselle of Foster, paid his fine of \$100 imposed by the court at the same time.

W. O. W. Memorial Services

Memorial services of the W. O. W. and Neighbors of Woodcraft was held yesterday. Some 50 Neighbors and their families decorated the graves of 59 of the deceased members, all returning to the hall for light refreshments at the close of the sermon.

MEXICANS CLASH AT POLLS SUNDAY

One Killed, Three Wounded in Fight; Garcia Elect- ed Governor

LAREDO, Tex., June 9.—U. P.—One was killed and three wounded in a clash between supporters of General Gonzales, Carranzista candidate, and followers of Juan Garcia, in yesterday's gubernatorial election in Nuevo Leon.

Fighting occurred near the polling place in Monterey. Disturbances are also reported from other parts of the state.

Senor Garcia, a wealthy Monterey businessman, was apparently elected governor.

ALBANY CREAMERY HAS GOOD MONTH

According to the monthly report of Albany Creamery association made 68,200 pounds of butter during the month of May. The regular monthly meeting of the association was held Saturday morning. The average price of butter for the month was 60c a pound.

The creamery purchased 1300 dozen eggs during the month. The payroll for the month was \$1200.

FOUR TO GRADUATE IN COLLEGE CLASS

Baccalaureate Sermon Given Sunday; Final Exercises Will Be Tuesday

The baccalaureate sermon of the fifty-third annual commencement exercises of Albany college was delivered at the First Presbyterian church last evening by Dr. Wallace Howe Lee, acting president of the college. Dr. W. P. White presided. Dr. Lee took for his subject, "The Chief Business of Life."

The morning services were held at 10:30 a. m., at which time Dr. Lee's sermon topic was "The Four Judgments." Excellent musical numbers accompanied both services. In the morning Messrs. McNeal and Magan sang "Still, Still with Thee," and at the evening service Miss Lenhart sang "O, Divine Redeemer," and the chorus sang the anthem, "To Thee, Our God We Fly." The organ numbers by Miss Alice Clement were also enjoyed.

This evening from 3 to 5 o'clock the President's reception will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lee.

At 7:30 p. m. the junior recital of the conservatory of music will be held at the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. Berenice Hackleman-Gilchrist, soprano, and Mrs. Lillian Dunn-Campbell, pianist, assisted by the girls' chorus and college chorus, will take part. The recital has been set for early in the evening to permit all to attend the exercises at Bryant's Park at 8:30.

Tuesday at 12:30 the luncheon to the non-resident trustees will be held. At 1:30 p. m. the annual meeting of the board of trustees will be held. At 3 o'clock the conferring of degrees will take place. Rev. L. Myron Booser, of Medford, will deliver the commencement address. At 9:15 p. m. the alumni social and business reunion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Irvine.

The class is composed of Miss Helen Lee, Miss Mabel Clausen, Miss Ruth Straw and Miss Annie Watkins.

MARRIED TODAY BY JUDGE BILYEU

Chester Hodges, of Waterloo, and Pearl Stevens of Lebanon, two well known young people of their respective towns, were issued a marriage license today and married by Judge W. R. Bilyeu at the courthouse.

Case Is Filed

W. F. Pfeiffer filed suit in Justice Oliver's court today vs. S. A. Schemm on an account to collect \$31.95.

LABOR FEDERATION FACES HUGE TASK IN SOLVING GREAT PROBLEMS OF DAY

550 Delegates From All Parts of Country Meet in Atlan- tic City in 39th Annual Con- vention

TREATY ENDORSED

Gompers Faces Hardest Fight of Career in Holding Rad- icals Down While Obtain- ing Concessions

ATLANTIC CITY, June 9.—By U. P.—Five hundred and fifty labor leaders from all parts of the nation assembled here today for the American Federation of Labor's 39th annual convention.

This gathering is one of the most important in the history of the organization, in the opinion of many delegates. With labor troubles threatened in this country and discontent sweeping Europe, President Samuel Gompers is faced with the difficult task of holding the more radical elements in check and at the same time obtaining the maximum concessions possible from the employers.

Treaty Is Endorsed

ATLANTIC CITY, June 9.—Unqualified endorsement is given the peace treaty and League of Nations covenant by the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor in its report submitted to the annual federation convention opening here today.

The basic principles of a lasting peace are in the treaty, the report says, and adds that with a peace so built, "the world has in truth been made safe for democracy."

The covenant of the league of nations, the report continues, "must meet with the unqualified approval and support of the American working people. It is not a perfect document an perfection is not claimed for it. It does, however, mark the nearest approach to perfection that has ever been reported in international affairs of mankind."

"We declare our endorsement of the triumphs of freedom and justice and democracy as exemplified in the covenant of the league of nations."

TANGENT TEAM IS WINNER AT LEBANON

TANGENT, June 9.—Special.—Tangent baseball team maintained its reputation Friday when it journeyed to Lebanon and won from the crack Strawberry City team by the score of seven to six.

The game was featured by good fielding on both sides, which kept the large crowd on its toes all of the time. Kirk of Tangent played a remarkably game at second. In the fifth inning, with the tying run on second, Kirk fielded a clean hit to right field backhanded and with a rifle-shot throw to the plate caught the runner and prevented further scoring.

The batteries were: Tangent, Blevins and Morgan; Lebanon, McKnight, Bellinger and Snodgrass.

Next Sunday Tangent plays Harrisburg at Harrisburg.

K. OF C. INITIATES 43 NEW MEMBERS

A large number of Knights of Columbus and their ladies went to Salem yesterday, where they witnessed the exemplification of three degrees. The work was in charge of F. J. Longorgan, of Portland, state deputy. Forty-three candidates from valley councils were initiated, including John Kerner, Leopold Kerber and Louis P. Fuchs of Albany. In the evening a delightful banquet was served by the daughters of Isabella.

City Council Gives Views on Bryants Park Proposition

To the citizens of the city of Albany.—

In view of circumstances and conditions and the recent publicity in the local papers, the members of the city council feel it their duty to explain to the public their attitude in the matter of Bryant's Park.

Mr. Bryant has offered the park to the city upon the conditions stated in the pamphlet which has been mailed to the voters and which has been printed in both of the local papers on several occasions.

We think their could be no objections to the provision which requires that the premises shall be only used as a public park forever and be known as Bryant's Park forever.

The city is to take over and maintain the present bridge or any bridge that it may see fit to build in the future. In this connection the Council has had the bridge examined by competent bridge builders who state that with some slight repairs the bridge will last for some time to come. The city is to construct a roadway along the west line of the property which will connect with another road already built along the other side and thus make a roadway around entire park. This the city will probably do in any event even if Mr. Bryant did not stipulate that it should be done.

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